

## Headwaters ROPE Schedule

Current as of: 13 July 2006

<u>TASK</u>	<u>TARGET DATE</u>
Complete second evaluation of benefits and tradeoffs for refined array (will be on-going and iterative)	2nd Week Jul 06
Release Public Newsletter Including List of Alternatives	3rd wk of Jul 06
Complete Draft Operating Rules in STELLA	Last wk of Jul 06
Conduct Tribal Council meeting to review the initially proposed plan (utilize the decision model to display results and discuss plan selection)	25-Jul-06
<u>Identify Initially Proposed Plan</u> (keep working on multiple plans)	1st Week Aug 06
Conduct public and agency meetings on initially preferred plan (utilize the decision model to display results and discuss plan selection)	22-24 Aug 06
<u>Complete in-house draft report and EIS and distribute</u> (To: Partnering group, agencies, Tribe, MVD)	End of Nov 06
Respond to comments on in-house draft report and EIS	End of Dec 06
Complete Report and EIS revision	Mid Jan 07
Conduct Tribal Council meeting to review the proposed plan	Mid Feb 07
Brief Congressman Oberstar on Report	Mid Feb 07
<u>Print Draft Report and EIS - then, transmit for public review</u> (Minimum 45 day review)	End of Feb 07
Conduct public and interagency/stakeholder meetings	Mid Mar 07
Respond to comments	End of Apr 07
Revise/Complete Final ROPE Report & EIS	Mid May 07
<u>Print and transmit Final ROPE Study and EIS for review</u> (Minimum 30 day review)	First of Jun 07
Obtain approvals from higher authority, as needed	Jul 07
Sign Programmatic Agreement	Jul 07
Sign ROD and begin to operate under the new plan	Jul 07